

FAIR TODAY AND TUESDAY.
MODERATE WEST WINDS.

IMPORTANT BUSINESS NEWS

WHAT IS GOING ON TONIGHT

Moving Pictures and Illustrated Songs at Breed Theater.
Vaudeville and Motion Pictures at Auditorium.
Uncas Lodge, No. 11, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall.
Thomas Union, No. 137, U. B. of C. and J. of A., meets in Lucas Block.
Norwich Aerle, No. 367, F. O. E., meets in Eagles' Hall.
Ionic Camp, No. 7694, M. W. A., meets in Foresters' Hall.
Clover Temple, No. 9, Pythian Sisters, meets in Pythian Hall.
Plumbers' Union meets in C. L. U. Hall.
Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., meets in Hibernian Hall.
Sedgwick Camp, No. 4, S. of V., meets in Buckingham Memorial.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Miss M. C. Adies will be absent from Norwich all this week. See adv.
See Mrs. E. Fay's line of English carriages, dolls, trains and toys of all kinds.
Buy useful gifts. Frank A. Bill offers specials in shoes, slippers, rubber boots and arctics. See them today. Men's slipper specials at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

The public is invited to visit the Manual Training school, New London, next Tuesday, December 21, from 2 to 5.30 and from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m. Classes in cooking and dressmaking will be in progress in the girls' section. The boys will be at work on stoves and woodturning. The new machinery recently erected by students will be in operation.

THE AUDITORIUM.

Christmas week at the Auditorium promises to bring forth a banner bill. The programme is headed by that talented company of players, Kelso, Leighton & Co., who present the mirthful farce comedy, "A College Hero." This act, coming direct from the large metropolitan theaters, is along worth the price of admission. A novelty in the act presented by the singing cartoonists, Brown and Brown, who are too full blooded Indians, Jack Mole is an expert bicycle rider who will demonstrate his skill and add to the entertainment. A snappy team are Coulter and Wilson, the original "Rah Rah Boys." Something doing every second these boys are on the stage. By request, Lillian Morelle will sing that vocal masterpiece, Tosti's Good-bye; also the lively illustrated march song, "Ain't Alabama Good Enough for You, Sue." A dramatization of Longfellow's poem, Maud Muller, will head the list of motion pictures.

BREED THEATER.

Master Harry Noonan, Norwich's Popular Boy Soprano.

The many patrons of the popular Breed theater will hail with delight the announcement of the return engagement of Master Harry Noonan, the popular boy soprano. During his engagement at the Breed in August last, this young lad's popularity in the big Boston theaters led him to be engaged to sing upon important patriotic occasions for the officers of the various war vessels and their friends and the marines, and when singing for them upon a recent occasion he was presented by the officers and crew with a complete naval uniform, made to order for him, on the United States scout steamer Saven, now in foreign waters, consisting of every necessity of such a suit. It is needless to say that the little white uniform is a beauty and is in midwinter form, with all the fascinating accessories, the officers giving him a high rank in the insignia on the arms. He will sing a fetching nautical song for the first part of the week, appearing in this suit, which he wears with the air of an old salt. The great feature picture of the week is entitled "A Rose of the Tunderloin," by the author of "Chimney Fadden," and reveals a new phase of life in the shadowy side of New York's busy life. The bill of the week is a special one and of great merit.

The British Battle Royal.
Mr. Asquith, the British premier, has delivered his manifesto, and he protests that the Liberals have no intention to abolish the house of peers, but that it is designed to reform that body and establish forever the principle that, touching financial matters, which embrace revenue and taxation, the house of commons shall be supreme. This in the United States would amount to taking from the senate the right to do anything with a tariff bill, but to pass as it came from the house of representatives, and would deprive the president of his veto.
On the other hand, Mr. Balfour, the leader of the opposition, contends that the power to tax is the very flower of government, and if the hereditary house of parliament were to be deprived of the privilege to take part in the making of a budget, there is no use for its existence whatever. He might have quoted Burke on the "regency bill" about "the barren scepter in my hand," that "is uncanceled as a passage in English political eloquence."

And so it is a very pretty quarrel as it stands, as Sir Lucius O'Trigger would say. There never yet was a vital or paramount political issue in the politics of England or America that did not have two sides to it, for government is not yet an exact science, and a fool of either party is nearly, but not quite as apt to be right as the wisest man of the other party. A quick cure was sown on the foot of a vice president of the United States that most eminent surgeons diagnosed as a cancer and certain death in a few days.—Washington Post.

System and the Men.
The investigation of municipal methods in the city of Montreal has now come to a conclusion. What remains to be done is to set up and maintain stout barriers against a repetition of the familiar practices. The report of the judge who presided over the inquiry finds that more than 25 per cent. of Montreal's money has been wasted in graft and patronage every year for many years. To Americans who have been concerned with like transgressions the estimate will not seem extravagant. The report does not censure persons, but ascribes the corruption and inefficiency chiefly to the administrative system. It is recommended, however, that officeholders who have been identified with the practice be proceeded against.

The opinion is a reminder that where a system is so individual it may be expected to take advantage of it. Human weakness is proverbial. The demonstrated corruption "has been caused above all by the patronage exercised by the aldermen in their committees and in the council in favor of their relatives and partisans; the latter receive contracts, benefits and positions to the detriment of the general interests of the city." Old as the story is, it is always painful to a righteous civic sense.

WANTED.

WANTED—Brown water spaniel puppy, inquire at 1452 West Main St., Norwich, Conn.

WANTED—At once, tool makers, die makers, machinists, die sinkers, universal grinders, lathe, planer and shaper hands, sheet metal workers, and draughtsmen experienced in tool designing. Apply or address Manufacturers' Association of Hartford County, 615 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Ct. dec29d

WANTED—Three girls to sew by hand; steady work; good pay. Apply Norwich Overall & Shirt Co., Franklin St., corner Pond St. dec17PM

WANTED—Housekeeper; one that can do plain cooking; two adults. Call address 1452 West Main St., Williamsville, Ct. dec16d

SEWING MACHINES.
slot machines, cash registers, typewriters, music boxes, carpet sweepers, clothes wringers, clocks and all kinds of repairs, cutlery sharpened and gunsmithing, and supplies for all machines.
SEWING MACHINE HOSPITAL.
Tel. 533. 100 West Main St. AL. H. OUSLEY, Mgr. and Expert. dec16d

ALL KINDS OF RAW FURS bought and sold and tanned. Taxidermist work done. Mitchell Laramie, 713 Main St., Williamsville, Ct. dec16d

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WANTED—Raw furs. Will pay Boston and New York prices. At H. A. Heebner's Harness Store every Thursday. Arthur C. Bennett. nov9d

WANTED—Ruptured people to call at our office. 765 Main Street, Williamsville, Ct. We want to show you how we treat rupture. Twenty years' study of the mechanical treatment of rupture. Thousands have been relieved and many have been entirely cured of their rupture. If you have trouble with your rupture or your rupture troubles you, come and consult us. No charge for office examination. Send for free book on rupture. Dr. Cooke Trust Co. Expert, Dr. Cooke Specialist. oct39d

WANTED AT ONCE
Several tool makers, also agents for house insurance and general housework help.
The Free Employment Bureau, Central Building, 43 Broadway, City. dec16d S. H. Reeves, Supt.

WANTED
Good family cooks, general house girls, one colored woman cook, \$5.00 per week.
J. B. LUCAS, Room 32, Central Bldg. dec2d

PLUMBING AND GASFITTING.
The Vaughn Foundry Co.
IRON CASTINGS
Furnished promptly. Large stock of patterns. No. 11 to 15 Ferry Street Jan2d

T. F. BURNS,
Heating and Plumbing.
92 Franklin Street. mar6d

S. F. GIBSON
Tin and Sheet Metal Worker.
Agent for Richardson and Boynton Furnaces.
55 West Main Street, Norwich, Conn. dec7d

Do It Now
Have that old-fashioned, unsanitary plumbing replaced by new and modern open plumbing. It will repay you in the increase of health and saving of doctor's bills. Overhauling and refitting thoroughly done. Let me give you a figure for replacing all the old plumbing with the modern kind that will keep out the sewer gas. The work will be first-class and the price reasonable.
J. E. TOMPKINS, 67 West Main Street. aug16d

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on Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry and Securities of any kind at the Lowest Rate of Interest. An old established business with (Established 1871).
THE COLLATERAL LOAN CO. 142 Main Street, Uxbridge.

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and stains of all kinds and sizes may be taken out of clothing by our infallible system of cleaning garments. We thoroughly take out every spot and stain by a non-injurious process that leaves the fabric uninjured in the slightest degree. And we press the garment back into its original shape again in a short time and charge but little for the service.
Lang's Dye Works,
Telephone. 157 Franklin St. nov23d

General Contractor
All orders receive prompt and careful attention. Give me a trial order. Satisfaction guaranteed.
THOS. J. DODD, Norwich
Telephone 349-2. Norwich. nov23d

J. F. CONANT, 11 Franklin Street.
Whitstone, 5c and the J. F. C. 10c Cigars are the best on the market. Try them. mar16d

NEWMARKET HOTEL
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First-class wines, liquors and cigars. Meals and week-end service to order. John Tackie, Prop. Tel. 42-1.

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46-acre farm good comfortable 8-room house, 1 mile to village, 4 miles to city. \$200.
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You can do it by introducing "Mayflower White Wyandotte" blood into your stock. We have a few very fine large, pure white cockerels left for sale at a very reasonable price. A lot of young Cuban game stock for sale.
MAYFLOWER POULTRY FARM, Norwich Town, Conn. oct23MTH
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I have 15 horses that I wish to sell right away. They are all acclimated and well broken and gentle. They are not fat, but good horses. Come and see them.
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A second-hand Dump Cart and a second-hand Team Wagon
M. B. RING, Chestnut Street. sept18d

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To settle an estate the property of the late Robert Breckenridge, situated at 65 and 69 Prospect Street, consisting of one two-tenement house and two cottages. All rented and in fairly good repair.
Apply to J. W. SEMPLE, Administrator, corner 8th Street and Central Avenue. nov30d

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a 6-acre farm, small house, some wood and fruit. Place is situated 1-4 mile from a city. \$250 down, balance on mortgage of 5 per cent. Send for Wilcox's Farm Bulletin. A new tract on the seashore—over 40 lots, 50 ft. frontage on ocean, 150 ft. deep. Price \$250 each. Little down, balance as desired. W. A. Wilcox, Real Estate Broker, 41 West Broad St., Westerly, oct22d

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Reduction of 20 per cent. in prices.
For two weeks only I will sell the regular \$2.50 Switches for \$2.00 and the \$2.00 Switches for \$1.50.
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TO RENT—Two elegantly furnished rooms, with heat; moderate prices. 28 Union St., City. dec17d

TO RENT—Upper tenement, 7 rooms and bath room. Enquiries of J. Bradford, Bookbinder, 108 Broadway. dec16d

TO RENT—First class store in Mahoney block, West Main. Inquire Mahoney Bros. Stable, Falls Ave. nov13d

TO RENT—A tenement of five rooms on one floor, also a flat of eight rooms and bath. Inquire at 307 Washington Street. nov16d

TO RENT—Store 56 Franklin St., in the Hartley building. Apply to J. E. Hartley, or at the store. nov16d

TO RENT—Desirable front office; also furnished rooms in Central building; steam heat and water. J. B. Lucas. oct16d

TO LET—On Broadway, next to the Wauregan Hotel, two rooms, suitable for offices or dressmaker; also in the same building, large flat and dry basement room, 25 feet by 36 feet, suitable for business purposes or storage. Apply to William H. Shields. oct17d

STORE TO RENT at 61 Franklin Street, suitable for most any kind of business. Address rent. Inquire at Bulletin Office. sept6d

TO RENT—Basement at 55 Franklin Street; suitable for the paint, plumbing or similar business. may17d

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11 ELM STREET—Newly renovated, centrally located, five rooms, cellar and yard; water closet. In complete order; \$3 per month.
CLIFF STREET, corner Elm Street. Very near Franklin square. Pleasant, sunny tenement, independent front and back doors; water closet, etc.; \$11 per month.
WHITNEY'S AGENCY, 227 Main St., Franklin Square. Real Estate and Insurance
For all particulars of the above or for other property for sale or to rent, call at office on Franklin Square. dec18d

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To Rent.
To right party, six-room flat, with modern conveniences, on lower floor, at 33 Otis St.
Inquire N. J. Ayling, or telephone 234. nov16d

TO RENT
New cottages and tenements.
Enquire of A. L. POTTER & CO., 18 Broadway. 1916

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Paints
THE PAINT OF QUALITY
Looks Best!
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It's for your interest to use them.
"There's a reason."
— ASK US —

CHAS. OSGOOD & CO.,
45 and 47
Commerce Street.

SWITCHES
All prices, according to quality, for the new styles in hair dressing.
Turban Pins, 50c up.
New Spangled Evening Ornaments for the Hair.
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Suite 26, Central Bldg., Phone 505
Consult with E. Francis Baker, electric needle specialist, for superfluous hair, etc. dec15d

WALL PAPERS
Our first consignment for Fall and Spring received.
Styles the Best, Prices the Lowest. Call and see them.
Now taking orders for Painting, Paper Hanging and Decorating.
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NORWICH DAILY LUNCH,
40 Franklin Street.
TRY OUR REGULAR DINNER—25c.
SPECIAL SUPPERS
With Tea or Coffee—15c. Open from 8 a. m. to 12 p. m.
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A Fine Assortment of
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MRS. G. P. STANTON,
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FOETRY.

THE ART OF SHOPPING.

You're sure it's fast color? How wide, did you tell me? Oh, yes. You are sure you can't sell me? Ten yards any cheaper than five? Just a minute—

You're certain it hasn't a thread of green in it? I couldn't wear green, and the light here's a little

Confusing. The threads in it seem rather brittle—

These dyes rot so. Dear me, seems that one twenty?

Is high? Are you sure that six yards will be plenty?

Now what do you think—does this silk sample match it?

It has just a single of blue—do you catch it?

Now, what I was thinking was—well, That's not the right sample at all. Such a blunder!

I picked it up just as I left in a hurry.

And must have picked up the wrong one—Such a worry

It is to do shopping! Now, isn't it fretting?

And just as I thought I was so near getting

Some of those to match it! Is this piece as high as

The other? How would this look out on the street?

You said you have none in the dark blue? Such a pity.

A dark blue, in that would be awfully

What's that piece up there? No, the one just above it!

Voilà! Here, down please. Oh, I admire it! I love it!

Now, isn't that sweet! But so light, I was thinking

It might not be easy to clean without shrinking.

Have you some blue silk near at hand? Beneath. With that lining of blue I should say it

Would make up just splendidly. You in red? Why is that? Oh, the red dyes would not it.

Too bad! Red is just what I wanted. How queerly

It happens that you always see some-thing that nearly

But not quite the color. Well, if it is blue, it

Is blue and not red, and that's all there is to it.

I guess we'll go back to the first piece. You say it

Is wanted? Goods? Oh, yes—this is the way

Should go. And you think that six yards would be ample?

You're sure of that? Well—you can give me a sample.

—J. W. Foley, in the Philadelphia Ledger.

Views and Varieties
Clever Sayings
"Ethel is not very handsome. Why do you call her a belle?" "She's waiting for some man to ring her."—Boston Transcript.

"Pa, what is a braggart?" "He's a man may son, who is not afraid to press his real opinion of himself."—Boston Transcript.

"What is meant by 'fendish grin'?" "Didn't you ever see the passengers on the platform of a car that didn't stop at a corner where someone was waiting to get on?"—Buffalo Express.

The Judge—"You say that because of injuries, indicated by your wife, you have been unable to pursue your vocation! What is your business, sir?" "Your honor, I'm a Non tamer."—Tit-Bits.

"You don't seem to care for history or poetry or romance." "Nope." "What do you like to read?" "Chicken literature."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"Why," asked a Missouri newspaper, "does our state stand at the head in raising mules?" "Because," said an Iowa paper, "that's the only safe place to stand."—Jack O' Lantern.

"He has invented a new drink." "What does he call it?" "Love." "Why?" "Because it makes the world go round."—Houston Post.

"Why, little boy, what are you crying about?" "I don't get no Christmas vacation!" "That's unjust. Why don't you?" "Cause I ain't old enough to go to school yet."—Cleveland Leader.

Janitor—"Who was that whistling down the tube?" Helper—"Woman on de third floor from de stairs more stairs." "Hitt de third pipe a couple o' times wit de hammer."—Boston Herald.

Then darkness fell over Africa. But Teddy was used to such capers. Said he: "I need light!" To read by tonight—

Come, boy, bring me in two tapers."—Chicago News.

"Of what use," asked the visitor at the bench show, "is a dashshund?" "A dashshund, sir," answered the man who owned the animal, "is made to show how long a daws can be stretched without pulling him in two."—Boston Transcript.

MUCH IN LITTLE

The skin of a black fox is worth \$1,000.

The first census of the city of Bangkok, recently taken, showed a population of 625,875.

A translation of the Scriptures into modern, idiomatic Spanish, is being prepared for use in Porto Rico, Cuba, Mexico and South Africa.

The coal production of France is insufficient for her needs, although in the last ten years it has increased from 30,000,000 to 26,000,000 tons.

During the last two years the oil production has doubled in America. The production is \$16,000,000 greater than the output of gold and silver in the United States.

According to a German publication, a firm in Munich has succeeded in artificially rendering asbestos water-proof, and has put upon the market this new kind of asbestos under the title of asbestos plates.

Boomerangs are now made of celluloid and hard rubber. Celluloid is better than cardboard because it is water-proof, light, very hard to break, and can be worked into the peculiar curve and twist so necessary to give the boomerang its singular properties.

Baking Potatoes Quickly.
One cook says she has solved the problem of baking potatoes quickly. She makes use of all the heat her oven affords by placing an inverted plate over her potatoes on putting them in the oven.

She claims that by following this plan she is able to bake potatoes well in half an hour in a moderate oven.

Limit of Foolishness.
The Marathon dances are just as foolish as the six day bicycle races and nothing can be added to either in the way of foolishness.—Buffalo News.

Hops Them All.
Tim Woodruff says he is not opposed to nominating Governor Hughes for another term. Band wagons have caught up with Tim, but none has been able to pass him.—St. Paul Dispatch.

He Has the Currency.
The question arises whether the central bank is not already here in the person of J. P. M.—Omaha Bee.